

AG. WATER QUALITY ACT



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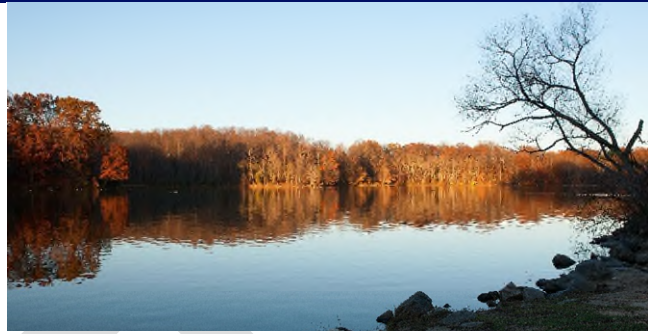


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TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

FUNDING ASSISTANCE

IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS

FLUIDS AND TRASH

SILVICULTURE BMP #5



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Description:

Protect water bodies from trash and fluid pollution associated with logging and other forestry equipment.

AWQA Minimum Requirements:

- 1. Equipment fluids shall not be drained onto the ground and should be collected, transported off site and disposed of properly.
 - 2. Equipment shall not be left on or adjacent to stream banks.
 - 3. All trash shall be properly disposed of off-site.
- Equipment should not be left on stream banks, nor oil or equipment fluids changed in a manner by which pollutants may drain onto the ground or wash into a stream. Properly dispose of cans, bottles, lunch bags, oil filters or air filters, etc. Properly dispose of used oil, hydraulic fluids, and other fluids.

Technical References

University Publications

- See the current version of [Kentucky Forest Practice Guidelines for Water Quality Management](#) for detailed specifications concerning trash and fluids associated with silvicultural activities
- See MR 5.1-5.3 in [Kentucky Logging BMP Field Guide](#) on page 15 and throughout.

Funding Assistance Options

Kentucky Ag. Development Fund (KADB/KAFC)

- Select from available program options [here](#).

NRCS Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP)

- Select from available program options [here](#).

Important Considerations

Water Quality Benefit (💧-💧💧💧💧): 💧

Wildlife Benefits

- Contact the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife’s [Habitat Improvement Program](#) how to improve wildlife habitat with select BMPs (1-800-858-1549).